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Mr. William F. Caton
Acting Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Application by Verizon-New England Inc. for Authorization to Provide In-Region
InterLATA Services in the State of Rhode Island, CC Docket No. 01-324

Dear Mr. Caton:

Today, Peter Keisler, Robert Quinn and the undersigned, all representing AT&T, met with Jordan Goldstein, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Copps. AT&T reiterated its arguments that Verizon's UNE rates in Rhode Island are not TELRIC-compliant and Verizon's long distance entry in Rhode Island is not in the public interest. The issues raised are consistent with AT&T's previously filed comments and its February 1, 2002 written ex parte filed in above-captioned proceeding.

One electronic copy of this Notice is being submitted to the Secretary of the FCC in accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Amy L. Alvarez".

cc: Jordan Goldstein
Julie Veach
Gary Remondino
Kelly Trainor (DOJ)
Steve Frias (RIPUC)
Ann Berkowitz (Verizon)